

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION 7016

By Southerland

A RESOLUTION to honor and congratulate Rio Little of Chuckey-Doak High School on being named to the Tennessee Sports Writers Association's Class A All-State soccer team.

WHEREAS, we are pleased to recognize and commend those successful high school athletes who, through their magnificent exploits, bring honor to Tennessee and serve as exceptional ambassadors of this State; and

WHEREAS, one such estimable individual is Rio Little of Chuckey-Doak High School, an athlete of extraordinary talent, skill, and dedication, who has proven himself a formidable competitor on the soccer field; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Little was recently named to the Tennessee Sports Writers Association's Class A All-State soccer team in recognition of his excellence on the field this season for Chuckey-Doak; and

WHEREAS, a senior defender, Rio Little played center midfielder 90 percent of the season and also played center back; his team posted a 15-4 record with eight shutouts; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Little epitomizes all that is good in today's student athlete, as he has achieved a high level of success in sports while evincing great character both on and off the field; and

WHEREAS, Rio Little's notable achievement is a source of great pride for his family, his community, and his school, and it is appropriate that we recognize this accomplished athlete; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED THIRTEENTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES CONCURRING, that we honor and congratulate Rio Little of Chuckey-

Doak High School on being named to the Tennessee Sports Writers Association's Class A All-State soccer team, wishing him much success and happiness in his future endeavors.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy and upon proper request made to the appropriate clerk, the language appearing immediately following the State seal appear without House or Senate designation.